



Borough of Hanover
44 Frederick Street
Hanover, Pa. 17331
717-637-3877



Spring-Summer Newsletter 2020

Hanover Borough Elected Officials

Mayor

SueAnn Whitman

First Ward Council

**Christopher Arter
Heath Chesney**

Second Ward Council

**William W. Reichart II
Scott Roland**

Third Ward Council

**Jeanine Pranses
Ray Hoover**

Fourth Ward Council

**Charles Hegberg
Barbara Rupp**

Fifth Ward Council

**Darlene Funk
Christopher Lockard**

Hanover Borough Administrators

**Borough Manager
Chief Of Police**

**Nan Dunford
Chad Martin**

EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION ALERTS

Do you receive alerts from The Borough of Hanover? If you do not and would like to receive them, you can sign up by visiting the borough website www.hanoverboroughpa.gov and click on the Community Links then the Code Red Community Notification icon. Those without internet access may call the borough office 717-637-3877 Monday through Friday between 8:00AM and 4:30PM to supply their information over the phone. You may select to receive the information by phone, text message or email. The Borough uses CodeRed, a mass notification system, to inform residents of emergency and general notifications. The data collected is not shared with any one else. The system ensures we are getting timely, informative alerts out to our residents to keep them aware of the latest events that are impacting the community.

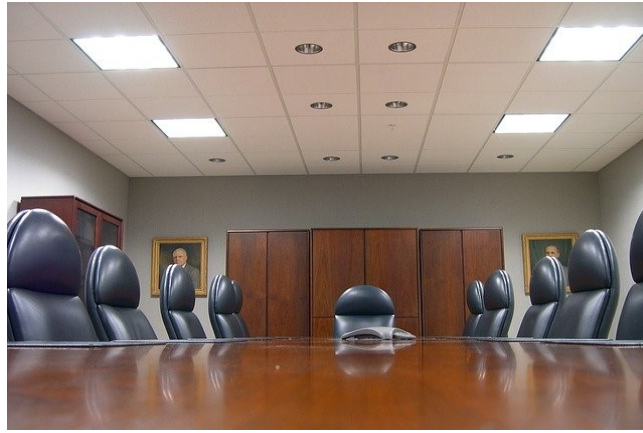
FOR AFTER HOURS EMERGENCIES:

For Public Safety, Police or Fire call 911.

For Water call 717-476-2712.

For Sewer Emergencies needing immediate attention call 717-476-2709.

www.hanoverboroughpa.gov



In accordance with the Act of October 15, 1998, P.L. 729, No. 93, Sec. 1, 65 Pa. C.S. Sec. 701, et seq., commonly referred to as the “Sunshine Bill”, the following public meetings of the below listed boards or commissions of The Borough of Hanover will be scheduled for the 2020 calendar year. All meetings will be held at 44 Frederick Street, Hanover, Pennsylvania unless otherwise noted:

Hanover Borough Council 7:00 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

The first Monday of January at 7:00 PM for reorganization and any other business; First Wednesday of February at 5:00 PM for Joint Bid Opening; 4th Wednesday of February at 6:00 PM; Fourth Wednesday March through December at 7:00 PM; with the exception of November which shall be the Fourth Tuesday at 7:00 PM.

Police Pension Committee 11:00 AM Hanover Borough Office

Tuesday, January 7th; Tuesday, April 7th; Tuesday, July 7th; and Tuesday, October 6th, 2020.

Planning Commission 6:30 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

The first Thursday of January; the first Wednesday of each month from February through December.

Work Session will be held at 11AM on the first Thursday of January; the remainder of work sessions shall be held the Monday prior to each meeting at 8:30 AM.

Recreation Board 5:30 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

Third Wednesday January through October; no meetings in November & December.

Zoning Hearing Board: 6:00 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

Third Monday January through November in 2020; no meeting in December. Work Sessions will be held on the Tuesday prior to each meeting at 1:00 PM.

Library Board of Governors: 12:15 PM Guthrie Memorial Library, Hanover’s Public Library,

2 Library Place, Hanover, PA - Second Thursday of every month in 2020 with the exception July where no meeting will be held.

Finance & Personnel Committee: Hanover Borough Council Chamber

Third Wednesday of every month in 2020 at 7:00 PM; except September’s meeting which shall be held at 6:00 PM at the Guthrie Memorial Library, 2 Library Place, Hanover, PA for budget presentation.

Shade Tree Commission: 9:00 AM Hanover Borough Municipal Building

First Monday of every month in 2020; except February & September which shall be the second Tuesday; no meetings in July or December.

Public Safety & Committee: 6:00 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

Second Monday of the months of April, June, Sept, and Dec in 2020.

Public Works & Facilities Committee: 6:00 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

Second Wednesday of April, June, Sept, and Dec in 2020.

Water & Sewer Committee 6:00 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

Second Thursday of March, June, Sept, and Dec in 2020.

Economic Development Committee: 7:00 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

Second Wednesday of April, June, Sept, and Dec in 2020.

Governance & Policy Committee: 7:00 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

Second Monday of April, June, Sept and Dec in 2020.

Stormwater Authority: 7:00 PM Hanover Borough Council Chamber

Second Thursday of every month in 2020.

The above meetings as listed, are intended to be open public meetings to any and all items of business which might be brought before the appropriate public body at the meeting. All interested persons are invited to attend same.

CURBSIDE—RESIDENTIAL RECYCLING

2020 Recycling Curbside Pick Up Dates

January	Mon. 13th	Tues. 14th	Thurs. 16th	Fri. 17th
February	Mon. 10th	Tues. 11th	Thurs. 13th	Fri. 14th
March	Mon. 9th	Tues. 10th	Thurs. 12th	Fri. 13th
April	Mon. 13th	Tues. 14th	Thurs. 16th	Fri. 17th
May	Mon. 11th	Tues. 12th	Thurs. 14th	Fri. 15th
June	Mon. 8th	Tues. 9th	Thurs. 11th	Fri. 12th
July	Mon. 13th	Tues. 14th	Thurs. 16th	Fri. 17th
August	Mon. 10th	Tues. 11th	Thurs. 13th	Fri. 14th
September	Mon. 14th	Tues. 15th	Thurs. 17th	Fri. 18th
October	Mon. 12th	Tues. 13th	Thurs. 15th	Fri. 16th
November	Mon. 9th	Tues. 10th	Thurs. 12th	Fri. 13th
December	Mon. 14th	Tues. 15th	Thurs. 17th	Fri. 18th

PLEASE NOTE— there will be no service stickers for residential collection service including the garden and leaf waste stickers

Reminder

A different truck will collect each recyclable separately at a different time for the following items which are collected curbside:

Aluminum & bimetal (co-mingled in same bin) * BINS ARE FOR CANS ONLY*; Cardboard (broken down & bundled);

Newspaper (bundled) * Must be kept dry *

Recycling Drop Off Center Info

Current hours: 6:00 AM to 3:00 PM Monday-Friday

(with staffed assistance from 7:00 AM to 12:00 noon)

Every Saturday 7:00 AM - 2:00 PM (with staffed assistance)

Recycling Center will continue to accept recyclable items including clear & colored glass, quality paper, magazines & phone books

We now accept plastics, (#1 ,#2, #5)

Textile Box: Located at the Recycling Center for a convenient place to drop your used clothing.

Commercial Recycling

This service requires you to source separate Aluminum Cans, Quality Office Paper, and Corrugated Cardboard. These three items will be picked up the first Wednesday of each month unless additional pickups have been requested through the Borough office.

Aluminum cans and Quality Office Paper must be placed in separate sealed refuse bags, and Corrugated Cardboard must be broken down and bundled together or enclose same in an enclosure such as a chicken wire coop or a storage enclosure to prevent the cardboard from blowing in the wind. All recyclable items for Curbside Collection must be placed out by 6:00 AM Wednesday morning if they are to be picked up by the Borough's Public Works Department.

Please note that you can bring the above recyclables, as well as plastics (#1,#2,#5), glass (clear and colored), and all other paper products (phone books, magazines, shredded paper, junk mail/flyers, etc.), to our Public Works Recycling Center at 139 North St on Monday-Friday 6AM-3PM and Saturday 7AM-2PM.

MISC REFUSE COLLECTION INFO

Refuse Weight

Households are allowed to place up to three (3)

30 gallon bags per week curbside.

No bags or cans in excess of 30 gallon size will be picked up!

Special or Large Item Pickups

Please call Public Works at 717-632-3939

to schedule a special pickup.

Residential Service - 1 large item picked up weekly free

Must call 717-632-3939 to schedule pickup of large item

Holiday Pickup

Holidays that change your pickup day to Wednesday

(New Years Day, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day)

Holiday pickup is always the Wednesday of the week the holiday falls.

If your regular pickup day is Monday or Tuesday and the holiday falls on one of these days, the pickup is always the Wednesday following the holiday. If your regular day is Thursday or Friday and the holiday falls on one of these days, the pickup is always the Wednesday before the holiday.

2020 Garden Waste Collection (*Borough Residents Only*)

Garden and leaf waste will be picked up with your recyclables

During May and October on your regular pick-up day:

Monday, May. 11th

Monday, Oct. 12th

Tuesday, May. 12th

Tuesday, Oct. 13th

Thursday, May. 14th

Thursday, Oct. 15th

Friday, May. 15th

Friday, Oct. 16th

BAGS CONTAINING ROCKS, GRASS, TREE LIMBS OR GROUND WILL NOT BE COLLECTED*

HANOVER AREA TRANSFER STATION

HOURS & RATES

Hours: 7:00 AM to 2:30 PM Monday through Friday

Minimum Charge: \$30.00 UP TO 700 Lbs.

All appliances with Freon: \$30.00 per item

(\$50.00 if pick up curbside by Borough Staff)



GRASS CLIPPINGS

We all face the same question when mowing the grass: Should I bag my clippings or leave them on the lawn? In most cases, the answer is easy. Recycle the grass clippings by leaving them on the lawn. Doing so will not only save you time and energy, but will also return valuable nutrients to the lawn.

Simple Guidelines

When recycling grass clippings by leaving them on your lawn, there are few things to keep in mind.

- Keep your mower blade sharp.
- Avoid mowing when the grass is wet.

Mow regularly at the recommended cutting height for your type of grass. If the grass gets too long and mowing at your normal cutting height will remove more than 1/3 the length of the grass blades, raise the height on your mower. Mow once at the raised cutting height, then again in a different direction at the normal height.

Benefits of Leaving Clippings in the Lawn

Clippings provide free lawn food. The most important thing you can do for your lawn is to feed it regularly, and grass clippings contain the same beneficial nutrients (like nitrogen and potassium) as lawn food, though in smaller amounts. Overall, grass clippings can provide a portion of the annual nutrient requirement for your lawn.

Less work for you. In addition to recycling nutrients back into the soil, leaving the clippings will cut down on your mowing time by relieving you of the chore of emptying the grass catcher and hauling bags of clippings to the Recycling Center.

Things to Keep in Mind:

Clippings don't cause thatch. Contrary to a popular lawn myth, leaving clippings on the lawn does not cause thatch, which is a layer of partially decomposed grass-plant parts between the soil and live grass. Grass clippings are mostly water, so as long as you mow regularly at the right height, they will break down and disappear rapidly.

*Grass clippings are not accepted with your regular trash. Borough residents that choose to bag their clippings may dispose of them by bringing them to the recycle drop-off center at 139 North St. Grass must be emptied into the marked grass dumpster. No bags or containers may be placed into the grass dumpster. The grass dumpster is for Hanover Borough residents use only. You may be asked to show proof of residency. As environmental regulations tighten, please consider that this free service is likely to end in the coming years.

NO CONTRACTORS MAY DROP OFF GRASS AT THE RECYCLING CENTER

If the grass is not from your personal residence, if you are performing the service of removing the grass as a landlord or for an exchange of services or money, you are considered a contractor. Contractors may take grass to the Hanover Borough Transfer Station, 25 Barnhart Dr Hanover, PA



PLASTIC RECYCLING

Due to changes in the global recycling markets, the Hanover Borough Recycling program must restrict the types of plastic eligible for recycling. Only Plastics #1, #2 and #5 can now be accepted. All other plastics should be disposed of with your regular trash.

GUIDELINES FOR PLASTICS #1, #2 and #5

PLASTIC BOTTLES/CONTAINERS

- Plastic Water, Juice & Soda Bottles
- Plastic Containers & Bottles #1, #2 & #5: This may include items such as shampoo bottles, liquid detergent containers, condiment bottles, water bottles, milk jugs, yogurt cups, prescription bottles, etc. Please check the container to find the designated number. The neck of the bottle should be smaller than the base.

HOW TO PREPARE PLASTICS

- Remove caps or lids (caps and lids are still recyclable but should be removed before placing them in the recycling dumpster)
- Rinse thoroughly to remove any residue
- Labels and neck rings do not need to be removed from containers

WE CAN NO LONGER ACCEPT

- Styrofoam of any kind
- 5 gallon buckets
- Toys, lawn furniture, laundry baskets, clam shell containers



Please note that these regulations are subject to change as the recycling markets remain volatile.

Are You Moving?? Do you have items you can't or don't want to take with you??

Do you have things in your basement or garage that you would like to get rid of?? Remodeling your house or rental property??

Bring those unwanted items to the Hanover Area Trash Transfer Station for disposal

Its close by, right here in HANOVER!

23 Barnhart Drive Hanover Pa. In Penn Township's Industrial Park close to the Hanover High School

**Hours: 7:00 am – 2:30 pm Monday – Friday
(717) 633-5523**

Dump trailers and dump trucks welcome!!

Disposal rates are as follows:

\$30.00 minimum fee for up to 700 lbs.

Over 700 lbs. is an additional 4 cents per lb.

Items we cannot accept: TV's, computers, antifreeze, batteries, propane bottles, railroad ties, lumber over 8ft long

HANOVER WATER DEPT HYDRANT FLUSHING

Flushing will take place in the Hanover Borough, Penn Twp.
McSherrystown Borough and Conewago Twp.,

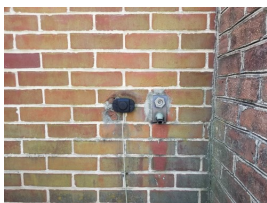
On the following days April 20th thru 23rd, 2020

Flushing will start at 8:00 am each day.

While the hydrants are being flushed the water may be discolored . You are advised **NOT** to draw water while they are flushing on those days. Any questions please contact the Borough Office at (717) 637-3877.



WITH SPRING FAST APPROACHING
WE WOULD LIKE TO REMIND
CUSTOMERS TO PLEASE TRIM
SHRUBBERY BACK SO OUR
METER READER CAN READ THE
WATER METER .



Some Water Facts

When on Summer Vacations –might be a good idea to turn off the main water valve in the basement.

Keep the valve to the outside faucet turned off when not in use.

Conserve water wisely during the summer.

Water lawns & flowers in the morning or when the sun goes down.

Do full loads of laundry and run full loads in the dishwasher.

THE MISCONCEPTION OF "FLUSHABLE" WIPES

- Because many products claim to be "flushable" they cause unnecessary costs and frustration to both municipalities and homeowners;
- Even though the product may be flushable down the toilet, it could cause blockages in sewer lines and subsequent backups which can easily be avoided by properly disposing of wipes and other items in the trash.

THINGS NOT TO FLUSH (THE ONLY MAN-MADE PRODUCT THAT SAFELY FLUSHES IS TOILET PAPER):

Band Aids – Made out of non-biodegradable plastic. Toss them in the trash.

Condoms – Bad news for septic tanks and sewage treatment plants. Condoms gum up the works.

Cotton Balls & Q-Tips – Contrary to popular opinion, these don't magically break down once flushed. They gather together, eventually clogging pipes.

Food – Compost it or trash it. Food can clump together and cause clogs.

Facial Cleaning Pads – Thicker than toilet paper and thus can cause problems.

Dental Floss – NOT biodegradable. Will wrap around small clogs and make them even bigger.

Hair – Clogs pipes in no time. You know how you constantly have to unclog your drain because of the hair in it? Imagine that, but on much larger scale.

Dirt – Dump it outside, not in the toilet.

Dryer Sheets – Made out of synthetic materials, not biodegradable.

Prescription Medicines – Destroys bacteria and contaminates groundwater. Bring meds back to pharmacies or Hanover Borough Police Dept for disposal.

Grease and Fat – Congeals once it cool down, filling pipes with a solid mass that block pipes.

Pesticides – Destroys the good bacteria used to break down waste at treatment plants.

Baby Wipes – Too thick, can cause clogs.

Cleaning Wipes – Too thick, can also cause clogs.

Disposable Diapers – Disposable diapers are made out of plastic. Throw them in the trash if you have to use them.

Cat Litter – Would you pour sand in to your toilet? This is basically the same thing.

Tampons and Pads – Trash can is best here. These items are too thick for toilet plumbing.

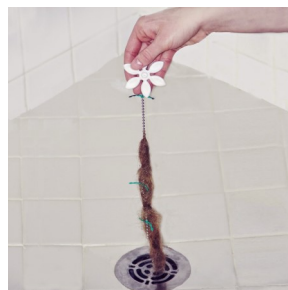
Chewing Gum – Can literally gum up the works.

Nail Polish & Remover – Toxic

Dead Pet Goldfish – Not necessarily bad, but can cause problems with clogging.

Cosmetics – Potentially toxic and harmful to wastewater treatment plants and septic systems.

Paper Towels – Do not break down like toilet paper. Too thick for plumbing pipes.





Happenings at Guthrie Memorial Library
Hanover's Public Library, 2 Library Place
www.yorklibraries.org/guthrie
Hours Monday thru Thursday 10 am .to 8 pm.
Friday & Saturday 10 am.to 5 pm.

Adult Programs



April 14 – In the Know: Crimes Against Seniors, 6 PM in the Bare Center
 April 15 - Sky Viewing with Elliott Rosselet in courtyard 1-3 PM
 April 21 - Trivia Night! 6-8 PM in the Bare Center

May 1-3 – Friends Book Sale – May 1 & 2 10:00-4:00, May 3 12:00-3:00
 May 6 – Yoga Therapy for Stress and Anxiety 6 PM in the Bare Center
 May 20 - Sky Viewing with Elliott Rosselet in courtyard 1-3 PM
 May 20 – The Rise (and almost death of) Rock and Roll with Kevin Buck. 6:30 PM in the Bare Center
 May 26 - Trivia Night! 6-8 PM in the Bare Center

June 17 - Sky Viewing with Elliott Rosselet in courtyard 1-3 PM
 June 30 - Trivia Night! 6-8 PM in the Bare Center

July 15 - Sky Viewing with Elliott Rosselet in courtyard 1-3 PM
 July 28 - Trivia Night! 6-8 PM in the Bare Center

August 18 – Meet the Author – Laura Bradford 6 PM in the Bare Center

August 19 - Sky Viewing with Elliott Rosselet in courtyard 1-3 PM
 August 25 - Trivia Night! 6-8 PM in the Bare Center



Children's Program



Lego Club at the Library-2nd Wednesdays of each month at 6:30pm, ages 6-12

Evening Story Time-Mondays at 6:30pm, ages Birth-6

Library Tails for Tales-Saturdays, ages 4-12, 10:00 am, book a 15 minute appointment to read to our therapy dogs

Flower Day at the Library-Wednesday, May 13, 10:15am, Join the Hanover Garden Club and Miss Kelly for stories and planting flowers in the library Courtyard.

Summer Quest Kick-off-Saturday, May 30, 10:00am-12:00pm, Come to the library for fun activities and to sign up for Summer Quest!

Library at Lake Marburg-Thursdays, June 11 until August 13, 10:00am

Fun-in-it Storytelling-Friday, June 12, 10:15am, Beth Rebert will read "The Magic Fish" by Freya Littledale
 Ryan "The Bugman" Bridge-Monday, July 20, 6:00 PM

Michael Reist, The Amazing Magi, Friday, July 24, 10:15am, Once Upon a Reader, fairy tales, myths, imagination and the magic of reading!

Musician Mark DeRose, Friday, August 14, 10:15am



Thrilling Thursdays: Summer Edition 1pm-2:30pm for TEENS

June

4th – Virtual Reality Experience (Teen Library) - Join us for an exciting virtual reality experience (no registration required)

11th – Bean Stalks (Courtyard or Teen Library in case of weather) - Decorate a container and plant “magic beans” to grow your own bean stalk. (pre-registration is required)

18th – T-Shirt Machine (Teen Library) - Design your own T-Shirt with our T-Shirt Machine! Just bring your own plain white T-Shirt. (No registration is required)

25th – Monster Sewing (Bare Center) - Create a one-of-a-kind Monster Creation. (pre-registration is required)

July

2nd – Movie (Teen Cafe) - Come see this great adventure about an astronaut who travels through space in search of his father! (no registration required)

9th – Fairy Houses (Courtyard or Teen Library in case of weather) - Design and build a home for a magical creature. (pre-registration required)

16th –Board Game Afternoon (Teen Library) - Get lost in an afternoon of adventure that only board games can bring! (no registration required)

23rd – Fairy Tale Bingo (Children's Program Room) - Get 5 Fairy Tale characters in a row on your board to win a prize! (no registration required)

30th – Harry Potter Ice Cream Social (Teen Library) - Celebrate the wizarding world by creating a frozen treat to match your Hogwarts house. (no registration required)

August

6th – Author Visit: Emily Layne (Bare Center) - Join us for a book discussion with the author of “These Wicked Waters”. More information to come.(Pre-registration is required)

13th – Super Smash Bros. (Teen Library) - Compete against your peers in an exciting fast-paced Super Smash Bros. Tournament (Teen Library) - (Pre-registration is required) - Limit of 32 participants

Other Summer Programs:

June

16th – The Teen Experience During the Holocaust (Bare Center)(5:30-7:30)

22nd – Story Slam (5pm-7pm) - Orientation Session. More information to come. (Pre-registration is required)

July

7th – Story Slam (5pm-7pm) - Qualifying Round. More information to come.

24th - Story Slam (7pm-9pm) @ Martin Library - Championships

14th – Cupcake Wars (Hormel Room) (5:30pm-7:30pm) - Compete against your peers in an exciting cupcake design competition! (pre-registration is required) - Limit of 12 participants

28th – Author Visit: S.A. King (Bare Center) (11am-1pm) - Author Amy Sarig King will discuss her book “Me and Marvin Gardens”. More information to come. (Pre-registration is required)



MORNING LEAGUE INSTRUCTIONAL BASEBALL & SOFTBALL
BEGINNING JUNE 15 THROUGH JULY 31, 2020
PROGRAM RUNS APPROXIMATELY 7 WEEKS
BOYS: AGES 6-9 YEARS OLD, MONDAY & WEDNESDAY 8:30 TO 10:30 AM
GIRLS: AGES 6-9 YEARS OLD, TUESDAY & THURSDAY 8:30 TO 10:30 AM
SIGN UPS CAN BE DONE AT THE BOROUGH OFFICE 8:00 AM TO 4:30 PM
REGISTRATION OPEN UNTIL MAY 29, 2020
FORMS ARE ALSO ON THE WEBSITE

WWW.HANOVERBOROUGHPA.GOV



IT IS THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN COME JOIN THE BOROUGH OF HANOVER RECREATION PLAYGROUND

2020 Hanover Borough Recreation Summer Program:
When? June 8th to July 31st
9:00-11:30 AM and 6:00-8:30 PM Monday-Friday

Where? DeGuy Avenue, Elm Avenue, Myers Memorial (Filbert Street), West Hanover Street, Baer Avenue, Washington Elementary, Hanover Street Elementary, and Clearview Elementary Playgrounds.

Activities: Kickball, Basketball, Whiffle-ball, Football, Soccer, Tennis, Board Games, Arts and Crafts, and many more summer -inspired activities!

Events: Playground Olympics, Water Night, Basketball Nights, Tennis Nights, Kids vs. Staff, and more!
All children over the age of 5 are welcome! (Parent/Guardian must be present for those younger)



FOR A LISTING OF BOROUGH
PLAYGROUNDS
AND SUMMER ACTIVITIES

PLEASE VISIT OUR
WEBSITE @
www.hanoverboroughpa.gov
Or Hanover Recreation
Facebook Page



CHECK IT OUT!

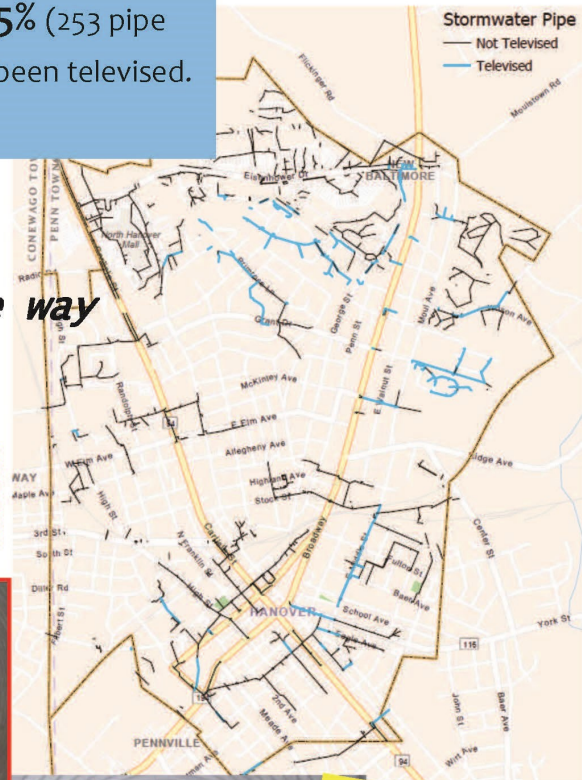


From May 2019 to November 2019, approximately **15%** (253 pipe segments) of the Borough stormwater system had been televised.

Today it is close to 20%!



We will continue to address:



2020 ARCHERY HUNTING AT THE WATERSHEDS
SIGN UPS STARTING ON MAY 1st

LOCATION : HANOVER BOROUGH OFFICE
44 FREDERICK ST—HANOVER MUNICIPAL BUILDING
HUNTERS WILL BE DETERMINED BY LOTTERY DONE IN JUNE
(will be notified)

- MUST BE 18 YEARS AND OLDER
- RULES AND REGULATIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF SIGN UPS



STARTING IN APRIL 2020
CENSUS WILL BE MAILING OUT FORMS
PLEASE FILL THEM OUT AND RETURN THEM
WILL HELP WITH ALLOCATION OF STATE
FUNDING.



HANOVER FARMERS MARKET

210 E CHESTNUT ST, HANOVER

HOURS OF OPERATION

EVERY SATURDAY FROM

7:00 AM UNTIL 1:00 PM

A Big "THANK YOU" to

**Hanover Lions Club, Schmucks, Image 360
Sherwin Williams, Lite House
Public Works
For the new sign at the Market**



Hanover Area Fire and Rescue
Fire Chief's Office
228 High Street
PO Box 1292
Hanover, PA 17331
717-646-2841



Important Message from Fire Chief Clouser

Greetings Residents;

The spring season is upon us which means it time to get out and fire up the grill. Below are statistics from NFPA and some safety tips to help your grilling season stay safe and delicious.

Grilling fire facts from the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA):

July is the peak month for grill fires (17%), including both structure, outdoor or unclassified fires, followed by June (14%), May (13%) and August (12%).

In 2013-2017, an average of 19,000 patients per year went to emergency rooms because of injuries involving grills.** Half (9,300 or 49%) of the injuries were thermal burns, including both burns from fire and from contact with hot objects; 5,200 thermal burns, per year, were caused by such contact or other non-fire events.

Children under five accounted for an average of 2,000 or 38%, of the contact-type burns per year. These burns typically occurred when someone, often a child, bumped into, touched or fell on the grill, grill part or hot coals.

Gas grills were involved in an average of 8,700 home fires per year, including 3,600 structure fires and 5,100 outdoor fires annually. Leaks or breaks were primarily a problem with gas grills. Eleven percent of gas grill structure fires and 23% of outside gas grill fires were caused by leaks or breaks.

Charcoal or other solid-fueled grills were involved in 1,100 home fires per year, including 600 structure fires and 500 outside fires annually.

SAFETY TIPS

Propane and charcoal BBQ grills should only be used outdoors. Always check propane lines for cracks or damage that could cause a leak.

The grill should be placed well away from the home, deck railings and out from under eaves and overhanging branches.

Keep children and pets at least three feet away from the grill area.

Keep your grill clean by removing grease or fat buildup from the grills and in trays below the grill.

Never leave your grill unattended.

Always make sure your gas grill lid is open before lighting it.

Stay Safe Friends and Neighbors.



Come out and watch
1st Annual Battle in the Borough
Baseball Tournament

At Good Field
May 1st thru 3rd 2020

Sponsored by Hanover Borough
Recreation Department



WHAT 'S HAPPENING IN HANOVER

KIDS DAY EVENT AT

WIRT PARK, SATURDAY,

APRIL 24, 2020

11:00 AM TO 4:00 PM

FREE EVENT!



HANOVER DIVERSITY FESTIVAL, AT

MOUL FIELD, SATURDAY

SEPTEMBER 26, 2020 9:00 AM TO 3:00 PM

FREE EVENT!

Sponsored by Hanover Area Diversity Alliance



July 4th Liberty Day:

The Hanover Borough Recreation Department will be hosting the annual Liberty Day Celebration again at Moul Field on July Fourth! Join us for a day full of competition, food, and fun!



10k—Fun Run
Live Music
(Provided by D.G. Entertainment)
Kickball Tournament
Food Trucks
Homerun Derby and
most importantly

....FIREWORKS!

Hanover Dutch Festival

July 25, 2020

www.hanoverchamber.com/dutch-festival



Hanoverchilicookoff.com

September 6th, 2020
Sunday 11am to 5pm

25th Annual



Good Field, Forney Ave

www.hanoverwca.org

Event location Winebrenner's

50 North Forney Ave.

Hanover, PA 17331

All proceeds benefit

YWCA Hanover SAFE HOME.

WALK-A-MILE In Her Shoes



Friday, August 14, 2020

*PROMOTE AWARENESS ABOUT
VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN*



SECOND SATURDAY EVENTS SPONSORED BY MAIN STREET HANOVER

- APRIL 11:** **Hanover Egg Hunt**
- MAY 9:** **Flowers for Mom**
- JUNE 13:** **Sip & Stroll**
- JULY 11:** **Elf Scavenger Hunt**
- AUGUST 8:** **Main Street Mini Golf**
- SEPT 12:** **Sauce Boss Comp & Chalk It Up**
- OCT 9:** **Spooky Spirits**
- NOV 14:** **Thankful for the Downtown**
- DEC 12:** **Cookie Stroll**

ALLIED VETERANS COUNCIL



PARADE

MONDAY, MAY 25, 2020 AT 8:30 AM
beginning at Library, continuing on
Route 94 to Mt. Olivet Cemetery for
Services



BREWFEET

HANOVER, PENNSYLVANIA

June 20, 2020 at Good Field-
www.hanoverchamber.com/snacktown-brewfest